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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for replying to the Examiner's Action that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned application on June 22 2001 be extended for three months, to and including December 22, 2001.

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